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Mr. Kevin Shipp

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Dear Mr. Shipp:

The Publications Review Board has completed its review of your revised manuscript entitled "In from the Cold: CIA Secrecy Operations – A CIA Officer's True Story (Second Edition)." In accordance with the terms of your secrecy agreement, the Board has determined that the following information in your manuscript is inappropriate for disclosure in the public domain (i.e., is considered to be classified information) and must be revised or deleted prior to publication.

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A copy of the edited pages is enclosed for your records.

If you add material to or change the text the Board has approved for publication, you must submit these additions or changes to us before giving them to your publisher or anyone else. In such a case, please mark or otherwise clearly indicate the new material so we can expedite our review. Additional material that must be submitted includes, but is not limited to, photographs, photograph captions, illustrations, diagrams, tables, charts, or maps.

You must submit the galley proofs of the final manuscript as it will appear in book form so the Board can verify that the published version is the approved version. Your responsibility as the author is to ensure that the publisher publishes only the Board-approved version. Since this final review may take up to thirty days, please ensure that the publishing schedule permits adequate time for the Board to complete its work. The Board gives galley reviews high priority because it knows that authors and publishers have firm deadlines.

Thank you for including the Board's required disclaimer.

If you disagree with the Board's determination, you may ask the Board in writing and within 30 days of the initial determination, to reconsider. Include any and all information or explanation of the facts that you believe the Board should know. You may include citations or copies of similar references that show this information to have been previously released and already in the public domain. Although mere listing of published citations may not necessarily be sufficient to change the Board's decision. If the Board upholds its initial decision, you may then formally appeal the Board's reconsideration decision. Such appeals go to the Agency's Associate Deputy Director for a final Agency decision. If you wish to appeal, you must do so within 30 days of the Board's reconsideration decision. The appeal must be in writing and must be sent to the Board's Chairman. Appeal documentation must include the material intended for publication and any supporting material you would like the Associate Deputy Director to consider.

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Please do not hesitate to contact the Publications Review Board at if you have any questions or if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

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Chairman, Publications Review Board

